

CLEARING CABLE'S PATHWAY

President Grants the Landing Rights.

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Aug. 9.—President Roosevelt today made formal announcement that he had granted the application of the Commercial Cable Company to land a cable on the shores of the United States, on the Islands of Hawaii and Guam and in the Philippine Islands, and for access to certain soundings and profiles in the possession of the Navy Department.

The text of the memorandum on the subject which was prepared by the Department of Justice and contains the conditions imposed by the United States government, was one of the subjects considered yesterday by the President and Attorney General Knox. As issued by the President, the memorandum is as follows:

"The President, having duly considered said application herewith contents that the company may lay, construct, land, maintain and operate telegraphic lines of cables on the Pacific Coast of the United States and the various territorial waters of the United States, to connect the city of San Francisco, Cal., the city of Honolulu, Island of Oahu, Hawaiian Islands, and by the way of Midway Island and the Island of Guam, the Island of Luzon, Philippine Islands, and a point on the coast of the Empire of China, not yet determined.

"It is conditional to the granting of consent that the company was to file its written acceptance of the terms and conditions on which consent is given, to wit:

"1. That the company has not received any exclusive concession or privilege and is not combined or associated with any company or concern having such concession or privilege, such as would exclude any other company or concern formed in the United States of America from obtaining the privilege of landing its cable or cables on the coasts of China, and said company, its successor or assigns, will not receive or become associated with a concern as the Postmaster-General shall annually fix.

"5. That the United States shall at all times have the right to purchase the cable lines, property and effects of the said company at an appraised value to be ascertained by disinterested persons, two to be selected by the Postmaster-General, two by the company or concern interested and the fifth by the four previously selected.

"6. That the government of the United States shall have authority to assume full control of the said cable when at war or when war is threatened.

"7. That all contracts entered into by the said company with foreign governments for the transmission of messages by the said cable shall be null and void when the United States is engaged in war.

"8. That the United States shall have authority to sever at discretion all branches which may be connected with the American cable line aforesaid during war or threatened war.

"9. That the operators and employees of said company (above the grade of laborers) after said cable shall have been laid, shall be exclusively American citizens.

"10. That the citizens of the United States shall stand on an equal footing as regards the transmission of messages over said company's lines, with citizens or subjects of any other country with which said cable may connect.

"11. That the company shall agree to maintain an effective speed of transmission over the main cable route from California to Luzon of not less than twenty-five words per minute.

"12. That the cable laid shall be of the best manufacture.

"13. That ample repair service for said cable shall be maintained.

"14. That the line shall be kept open for daily business and all messages in the order of priority heretofore provided for, be transmitted according to the time of receipt.

"15. That no liability shall be assumed by the government of the United States by virtue of any control or censorship which it may exercise over said line in the event of war or civil disturbance.

"16. By the grant of this permission, the United States government does not insure or indemnify said Commercial Cable Company against any landing rights claimed to exist in favor of any company or companies in respect to any of the insular possessions of the United States.

"17. That the consent hereby granted shall be subject to any future action by Congress, or by the President reaffirming, revoking or modifying, wholly or in part, the said conditions and terms on which this consent is given. The acceptance of the terms and conditions upon which this consent is given shall be evidenced by a copy of a resolution by the board of directors of the cable company under the company's seal to be filed with the Postmaster-General of the United States, upon the filing of which full access shall be granted to said company by the Secretary of the Navy to all soundings, profiles and other helpful data in the possession or under the control of the Navy Department."

Viking Ship Unearthed.
CHRISTIANIA (Norway), August 7.—A Viking ship, forty-nine feet long, has been unearthed on the island of Karmoe.

LEAHI HOME AN IDEAL PLACE FOR THE CARE OF THE SICK

Opening of the Hospital for the Incurables Now at Hand the Buildings Having Been Finished.

THE Hospital for Incurables (Leahi Home) has been completed and formally turned over to the trustees. Yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock trustees Alexander Young, J. P. Cooke and S. E. Damon met William Mutch and Archibald A. Young of the building committee at the Leahi Home for the purpose of taking over the hospital buildings, which were practically ready for occupancy. Wm. Mutch, the architect and superintendent, declared his work finished and the trustees received the keys and appointed a caretaker to look after the premises until they can be furnished and occupied. It is expected that the patients now being cared for in the old kerosene warehouse in Kakaako will, within a week, be comfortably housed in their new quarters where they may have plenty of pure air, excellent water and an outlook equal to any in Honolulu or vicinity.

Governor and Mrs. Dole and Mrs. Alexander Young, together with the trustees and committee, thoroughly inspected the premises, the Governor expressing his appreciation of the services of the subscribers and workers who had made the much needed Home an accomplished fact, and he hoped that suitable support would be given it by many of the men and women of the territory.

Wray Taylor was found on the grounds planting trees and grass to help make more beautiful the place that nature has so well endowed. Allan Herbert has also volunteered his valuable services in planting trees and shrubs about the grounds.

The buildings as now erected are capable of accommodating forty-eight or fifty patients and all the necessary attendants. The rooms are all large and well ventilated and everything around the entire place has an air of neatness and comfort. Much credit is due to Wm. Mutch who has given a large part of his time and attention to the planning and erection of the buildings, as also for the rigorous economy exercised in expenditures during the entire course of construction.

It is largely due to the energetic efforts of Alexander Young and his handsome contribution of \$25,000 which made the hospital an assured fact, his interest not abating from the moment he placed his name upon the subscription papers.

**MARCUS
EXCITES
JAPAN**

TOKIO (Japan), July 25 (via Victoria, B. C., August 5).—The Japanese sloop Kasagi sailed for Marcus Island July 23d, having on board Mr. Ishii, secretary of the Foreign Office, the object being to reach the island before Captain Rosehill and his expedition. Captain Rosehill left Honolulu July 11th in a schooner, so the Kasagi will have no difficulty in reaching her destination ahead. The rival claims of America and Japan to this speck in the ocean have made a considerable stir in Japan.

The ownership of Marcus Island, called Minamitori Shima here, was tangibly established by the following announcement issued under instructions from the home office under date of July 19, 1898:

No. 55 notification of Tokio-Fu. An island situated at latitude 24.14 north and longitude 154 east shall be called herewith Minamitori Shima and it, included as one of the Bonin group, shall be under the administration of Tokio-Fu.

KOYESEUKA RYO, Governor of Tokio-Fu. July 24th, the thirty-first year of Meiji (1898).

The origin of the ownership claimed by the Japanese is rather difficult, however, to trace. It is said Mizutani Shinroku, claiming to be the discoverer of the island, applied for the lease of it. But there was another applicant, and a keen competition between them arose. The term of the lease is understood to be ten years.

In this contest Captain Kawamuro of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha's Bonin Island liner Hyogo Maru, in an interview says among other things that there are about fifty Japanese inhabitants, including three or four women. Mizutani Shinroku, who has two schooners for his own use, has been doing a tolerably fine business in catching birds and fishing. His takes have been transported by schooners, about 100 tons each, to the main island of the Bonin group, where they are reshipped. One of the schooners left for Marcus Island on July 12th.

There is evidence that Americans occupied the island before the Japanese, but they are said to have abandoned it. The island is not particularly rich, the entire revenue from fishing, hunting, etc., being placed at about \$10,000 annually, but the question is looked upon as being interesting diplomatically.

Mr. Ishii will arrive at the island in time to receive Captain Rosehill and explain his Government's title to the place.

SKELETON UNDER THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—Workmen employed in tearing out the inside of the White House last week unearthed deep down under the basement a portion of a human skeleton. Strenuous efforts have been made to keep the discovery secret pending careful investigation. The workmen have been cautioned not to discuss the subject, and the most rigid regulations have been adopted to prevent persons not actually employed in the work from entering the building.

The mysterious discovery was made while laborers were excavating a subcellar below the floor of the basement for new heating apparatus. After going down about ten feet a massive stone vault was encountered. It proved to be what was apparently the foundation walls of an old house that had evidently stood on the spot where the White House was afterward erected. In this same excavation was found an immense oven embedded in a stone wall, and in close proximity to the oven were found the bones. The workmen believed they had unearthed an ancient tomb, and the negroes fled in terror.

TWO SCHOOLS FOR CHURCH

Plans of Bishop Restarick for an Improved Educational System.

Among the plans which Bishop Restarick has for the advancement of his diocese is one of making St. Andrew's Priory, and also the Episcopal school for boys, institutions which will tend to give the pupils educational advantages here equal to those to be obtained in similar schools on the mainland. At present the bishop's plan is to have the Priory open on September 8. The teachers will include Miss Evelyn Wiley, a graduate of the State Normal School of California; Miss Hortense Leffingwell, a graduate of St. Mary's, Knoxville, Ill., and Miss Beatrice Young of Honolulu. Mrs. Louise F. Folson, who has had a large experience, will be the house mother, and will also be in full charge of the girls who board at the Priory while attending the normal school; Miss Charlotte Teggart will be the registrar, and any letters in regard to the Priory may be addressed to her.

In speaking of the future of the Priory, Bishop Restarick said yesterday that the intention is to carry on the school at present on the same lines as before. Considerable money, however, will be expended in the improvement of the buildings, and the new faculty hopes to retain all the old pupils and gain a large number of new ones. Sisters Beatrice and Albertina will reside in a cottage on the school grounds, and will try by their influence and advice to help on the institution.

The boys' school, conducted by the Rev. Frank Fitz, will continue as before. The bishop, however, has in mind plans for an extension of the school, both as to buildings and advanced studies, but as yet has not had time to take the matter under consideration.

Rev. Arthur Evans, rector of the Church of the Ascension of Los Angeles, will leave in the Claudine next Tuesday for Hilo at the bishop's request, look over the situation, and report as to the advisability of starting work in that city. As soon as practicable the bishop will make an extended visit to Hawaii, and take steps to fill vacancies there.

Bishop Restarick will have for his residence a comfortable house, No. 1256 Boretania avenue, between Pihoko and Keeaumoku streets. He will preach tomorrow morning in St. Peter's chapel and in the evening in the cathedral.

Yohe Is Nervous

PARIS, August 3.—May Yohe reached Paris this morning, but up to midnight she had not seen Putnam Bradlee Strong or learned where he is. Miss Yohe reached the railroad station at 6 o'clock this morning. She suffered greatly and was unable to walk or stand as a result of having sprained her knee on the eve of her departure from London yesterday. Miss Yohe's nerves were completely unstrung. She had to be carried to a carriage at the station and to her room upon her arrival at the hotel where she is stopping. The doctor who was summoned prescribed complete repose and would not allow her to see anyone during the day. He said rest for at least one week would be necessary to permit the recovery of her injured knee.

A Hebrew Regiment

NEW YORK, August 2.—As a result of the riot at the funeral of Rabbi Joseph, a movement started several months ago for the organization of a Hebrew-American regiment in this city has received a new impetus. Four hundred members already have been secured.

WENT TO VISIT HIS SISTER

A. J. Cottingham went to Washington Co., Ark., U. S. A., to see his sister and while there was taken with flux (dysentery) and was very bad off. He decided to try Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and was so much pleased with the prompt cure which it effected, that he wrote the manufacturers a letter in praise of their medicine. Mr. Cottingham resides at Lockland, Ark., U. S. A. For sale by all druggists and dealers. Benson, Smith & Co., agents for Hawaii.

ELECTRIC CARS FOR ST. PETERSBURG

ST. PETERSBURG, August 2.—Since M. A. Verner, of Pittsburgh, Pa., was granted a concession here last May for the establishment of an electric railroad from St. Petersburg to a suburb of the city, the entire street railroad situation in St. Petersburg has changed.

Mr. Verner has formed a partnership with Engineer Battinsky, who last year demanded a concession for an elevated railroad fifty-nine miles long, to cost \$28,000,000. Battinsky secured an interview with the Czar, who demanded the documents of the tramway commission and endorsed them with a recommendation of concession to the financiers of the project, which virtually meant Mr. Verner.

M. Dewitte, Minister of Finance, and Mr. Verner immediately began negotiating terms upon which the value of the concession would depend. The Municipality of St. Petersburg has already received the sanction of the government to accept construction bids for the electrification of the three street railway lines it now owns.

The Novoe Vromya has begun a vehement campaign against this concession, preferring municipal ownership of the traction system, with operation under lease. The paper says that a proposal from Battinsky and Verner for a street railroad concession in Moscow is also likely to be granted.

It is understood that Battinsky's plan for an elevated railroad has been dropped and that the present plans include overhead trolleys only.

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The customs collections for the year ending June 30th as reported by Collector Stackable amount to \$1,327,000. The total exports of the islands for the year amounted to \$24,793,735.

F. J. Cross returned Saturday from Kauai, where he superintended the construction of the new pole for the wireless telegraph system. It is located about a mile from Nawiliwili.

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